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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed ~~April~~ 17, 2003, said period of response being extended from June 17, 2003 to September 17, 2003.

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